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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 20.11.2024

**CORAM:
THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE R.VIJAYAKUMAR**

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and WMP(MD).No.20307 of 2023**

1.Dr.M.Malarvizhi

2.A.Thanamary

.... Petitioners

Vs.

1.The Director
The Gandhigram Institute of Rural
Health and Family Welfare Trust
Ambathurai R.S.,
Gandhigram Post
Dindigul 624 302

2.The Chairman
Board of Trustees
The Gandhigram Institute of Rural
Health and Family Welfare Trust
Ambathurai
Gandhigram
Dindigul 624 301

.....Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying for a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to disburse the terminal benefits namely encashment of earned leave and unearned leave on



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private affairs (EL and UELPA) on the basis of the 7th pay commission recommendations of the Tamil Nadu State along with due interest to the petitioners.

(Prayer amended vide Court order dated 14.10.2024)

For Petitioner : Mr.L.Prabhu

For Respondents : Mr.V.Kathikeyan

ORDER

The instant writ petition has been filed by a retired staff of the respondents' institute seeking a mandamus directing the respondents to disburse terminal benefits namely encashment of Earned Leave and Unearned Leave on Private Affairs (EL and UELPA) on the basis of 7th pay commission recommendation along with due interest.

2.It is true that the petitioners had attained superannuation on 30.04.2020 and 31.12.2018 respectively. So far the benefits under the 7th pay commission have not been released.

3.The learned counsel for the respondents institute had received a written instruction that the disbursement of the above said benefits to the writ petitioners are in progress and the same will be disbursed shortly.



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4.Considering the above said facts, the respondents institute is directed to release the eligible Earned Leave and Unearned Leave on Private Affairs as per the 7th pay commission to the writ petitioners along with 6% interest from the due date till the date of disbursement, within a period of 8 weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

5.With the above said observations, this writ petition stands disposed of.
No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

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